

The Avalanche.

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POLITICAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Michigan has only one pauper child to each 7,256 people. In New York the ratio is one to 263, and in Ohio 1 to 1,000.

The Farmers' Alliance is being vigorously pushed in Genesee county, at this time, in many instances swallowing up the Patrons of Industry.

The nomination of Henry B. Brown to be Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court, was confirmed last Monday.

The late snow storm was very severe on the western coast of Michigan, and reports from all along the coast line show belated trains, blocked street cars and a general tie-up.

The Kansas Farmers' Alliance has decided to drop the idea of a third party movement, for the present at least. The fight against Senator Ingalls is still on, however.

Deputy Auditor Pratt has been told by the new auditor general, Mr. Stone, that he may remain in office indefinitely. Neither of his cousins, his uncles or his aunts could fill the position in accordance with the ideas of his bondsmen.

Game Warden Smith, whose term expires next March, has resigned. During three years there have been 729 arrests for breaking game and fish laws and 334 convictions. The warden says game is rapidly increasing in the state, with a large supply of quail, partridge and ducks, and that deer are multiplying.

Senator-elect Irby, of South Carolina, who was elected by Farmers' Alliance votes, now says he is a democrat first, and that the farmers will have to look to that party for the legislation they wish. There's a lesson in that remark for old time republicans to think over.

There is no politics in maintaining American rights in Behring sea. Americans will fight among themselves at the slightest provocation, but when a foreign foe shows his head we are all Americans, prepared to fight shoulder to shoulder to the last ditch to maintain our rights. If John Bull thinks the people of this country are not united behind the claims made by Mr. Blaine he is destined to find himself woefully disappointed.

The New York papers are howling because the Tammany Mayor has appointed a bar-keeper who is the open associate of thieves and gamblers to be a Police Justice in that city. They have no right to grumble. Tammany is mostly made up of just such men, and that it should reward its own is not strange. The strange thing is that the respectable people of New York should allow this corrupt organization to continue in charge of that city.

After mature deliberation and careful examination into the character of the subscription to the world's fair fund by the citizens of Chicago, the president has issued a proclamation pledging the official authority of the United States and the resources of his country to the aid and support of the great exposition. Every patriotic citizen will be glad this action has been taken, although the president's caution in the matter met with general approval. Now if the city of Chicago will go on and do all that it has agreed to do, the Columbian exposition will be the greatest in the world's history. —Day City Tribune.

At the meeting of the G. A. R. executive committee it was decided to hold the national encampment in Detroit, the week commencing August 6, 1891. The veterans will be met by the administration committee, and the grand street parade will be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday will be principally devoted to the business meeting, election of officers, etc., the remainder of the week being set aside for recreation and sight seeing. Adj. Gen. Goulding said that the encampment will undoubtedly be a greater affair than the one at Boston, as Detroit is more conveniently situated.

The Republican committee has made another concession to the demands of the free silver coinage men by the proposed purchase of \$12,000,000 more of silver bullion and the free coinage of silver whenever that metal remains at par with gold for a year. Any decrease of the national bank circulation below \$180,000,000 is to be made up by the issue of silver certificates. This compromise the free coinage silver advocates will accept because it is the best they can get; but it is not likely that, with this concession, their demands will cease. —Detroit Journal.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From Our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 26, '90.

Things have reached a decidedly interesting stage in the Senate. This statement applies to both the Federal Election bill and the financial bill. The democratic Senators having adopted the tactics by which their party attempted to obstruct the business of the House during the last session, retiring in a body in order to break a quorum. Senator Aldrich reported a resolution, adopted by the republican caucus some days ago, to cut off debate when it has lasted a reasonable length of time, and it is confidently expected that it will be adopted within a week or ten days time. Many republicans were at first reluctant about adopting this resolution, but the action of the democratic Senators in absolutely refusing to set a day for taking a vote upon the Election bill convinced the doubters that such a rule was necessary if any other business was to be transacted at the present session, and now the republicans are practically unanimous in their support of the resolution.

Senator Sherman, from the Finance committee, to which the financial bill approved by the republican caucus was referred when it was introduced, has reported that measure to the Senate. It has been amended in a very important manner. Section 4 of the bill, which provided that when the National bank circulation falls below \$180,000,000 the deficiency shall be supplied by the issue of treasury notes based on silver bullion purchased if the silver can be purchased or if not by the direct issue of treasury notes, has been stricken out of the bill, and the following inserted in lieu thereof:

"That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized to issue in a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate \$200,000,000 coupon and registered bonds of the United States in such form as he may prescribe and of denominations of \$50 or some multiple of that sum, redeemable in lawful money at the pleasure of the United States on and after July 1, 1900, and bearing interest payable semi annually at the rate of 2 per cent per annum. And he is authorized to sell or dispose of the bonds issued under this act at not less than their par value for any lawful money of the United States, or for gold or silver certificates, and to apply the proceeds thereof to the redemption or to the purchase of any of the bonds of the United States. And the bonds hereby authorized and the proceeds thereof shall be used for no other purpose whatever. No votes were cast in the committee against reporting the amended bill, but the understanding was that no member of the committee was bound to support the bill.

It does not please the silver Senators, and already Senator Stewart has offered an amendment providing for free coinage, and Senator Reagan has introduced his free coinage amendment which was offered when the original caucus bill was first introduced. Too many Senators are now away to venture a prediction of what the fate of the bill will be.

The House took two days holiday for Christmas, from Thursday until today, but so far as doing any real business is concerned it might as well have taken the usual two weeks, for it has not had a quorum since Monday morning, and there isn't much probability that it will have one for at least a week to come. The Senate adjourned from Wednesday to Saturday.

The President has nominated Henry B. Brown, of Michigan, to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Vice Samuel F. Miller deceased. Michigan people speak in the highest terms of Judge Brown, and are greatly pleased at the honor conferred upon their State.

Senator Teller characterized as "rot" all the newspaper reporters of there being republican opposition to his reelection to the Senate by the Colorado legislature. He says he will get every republican vote.

Senator Higgins, of Delaware, won his spurs this week in a spirited controversy with Senator Gray, his democratic opponent from the same State, on the merits of the election bill.

Senator Davis has introduced a bill to amend the dependent pension law of the last session by authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to consider the rights of applicants, who appeal from the decision of the Commissioner of Pensions, without making formal application to the latter. It also provides that the minority of insane and dependent children shall extend to the age of 21, and for the increase of pension to \$50 a month of those unable to do manual labor.

It is probable that no positive legislation will be passed this week, now that congress has decided to sit through the holidays. The Senate will be occupied in the consideration of the election bill, the vice president now having the name of speakers that will take up the first part of the week. If the republicans can capture a harmonious result it is probable that the election bill will be sent to its long rest and the financial measures taken up. No business is expected in the house because of the lack of a quorum. The house wanted to take the usual 10 days' recess for Christmas, but the senate would not do so, and the members have quietly gone. —Det. Journal.

American Tin Plate Already.

The DuBois (Pa.) Courier contains the following significant item of tariff news:

"Grier Brothers, Tuesday, received their first invoice of American tin plate. The shipment was made from Pittsburg, where the plate has been manufactured since the McKinley bill went into effect. Previous to that time our tin plate all came from foreign countries, yet within two months from the time of the introduction of a protected tariff plants are established and the tin plate is made at home."

Thus, in spite of the shrieks of free trade journals that no tin plate manufacturing would spring up in this country under the McKinley bill, we have American tin plate delivered to customers in less than three months after its passage, and more than six months before the increased tin plate duty goes into effect. —New York Press.

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Decent Democrats can hardly fail to notice that the row which Jacob has kicked up to suit his own arbitrary will, fairly reeks with whiskey and smells of the saloon. Jacob himself is a saloonkeeper. He represents saloon-keeping ideas about law, order and decency. He is the brainiest and ablest representative which the liquor traffic has ever had in the board of aldermen. He is the embodiment of the saloon in politics and is the representative of its claims, its clamors, its violence, its lawlessness and roughshod, tyrannical ways. If the liquor traffic were only powerful enough to elect more than it does even now, the board of aldermen would consist mainly of Jacob and Murphys. —Detroit Journal.

Tin plate on the brain is as common a disease now in the Democratic party as in gripe was two years ago. Start a Democrat to talking on iron or steel falls and he will end up with "that tin can which used to cost a cent." Direct his attention to glass ware and American carpets and cloths equal to any made in any portion of the world, and he will yell out and remark, "Now, just look at the tin-can goods business." And yet the tariff doesn't affect tin until next July, and it is as cheap to day as it ever was. The trouble is there is tin on the Democratic brain. They are all paunched, as it were. —Inter Ocean.

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Heavy Ticking,		at	8	cents
Ladies' Scarlet, all wool Underwear,		at	75	cents.
Ladies' Rubbers		at	25	cents per pair.
Also a few more blankets		at	75	cents
Lumbermen's Rubbers, Boston or Candee,				\$1.00
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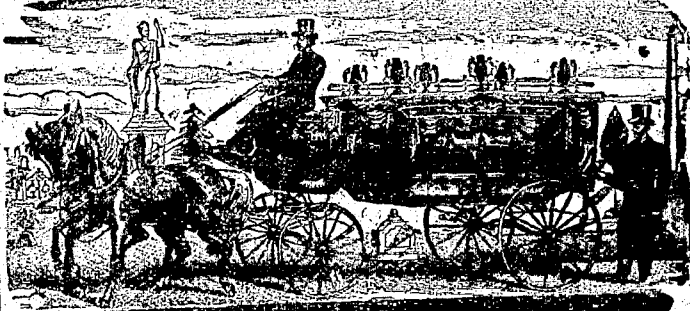
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LOCAL ITEMS.

Fresh Popcorn, at Wright's.

R. Hanson went to Bay City last Monday.

For pencils and tablets for school uses, go to H. C. Thatcher's.

Jas. Hartwick was in town yesterday.

Nine, fresh Oranges and Lemons at the store of S. H. & Co.

Gaylord people are working with Atlanta for a telephone connection.

Big cut in Socks and Mittens, at O. J. Bell's. He is closing them out.

A good house to rent on the south side.

For the finest cigar in the city, go to the Drug Store of W. C. Thatcher.

Geo. Hirtman and daughters, of Bull township, were in town last Tuesday and took in the social.

Toys of all kinds at Fournier's Drug Store.

Dr. H. Osborn, of Frederic, was appointed Post Master last Monday, in place of Wm. Putnam, who had resigned, preparatory to going west.

Ladies' Misses and Childrens' cloaks and a full line of Plush bonnets and caps, at Max Lewinson's.

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Jas. J. Coventry, of Maple Forest, was in town Tuesday. The old Coffee Coaders are always welcome at the AV-ALANCHER office.

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Crawford Tent, No. 192, K. O. T. M. will install the following officers, at the Opera House, Jan. 8th, '91, at 8 p. m. Sir Kt. Com. Bernhard Bettendorf, Lt. Com. Wm. Woodfield, R. K. Martin Nelson, P. K. John Williams, Prelate, L. J. Patterson, Sergeant, Peter Johnson, Play, F. E. Thatcher, M. at A. Chas. Heidman, 1st M. of G. Jos. Loranger, 2d M. of G. Geo. Kirby, Sentinel, Herman Gohn, Picket, James Maloy. A special invitation is extended to the ladies. Come one, come all. Children not admitted unless accompanied by their parents. A dance after installation.

A paper in the northern part of Montcalm county talks to its subscribers thusly: "This office does not like the idea of constantly dunning delinquent subscribers, but feels compelled at this time of the year to strongly urge the prompt settlement of those who owe us one or two years' subscriptions. We have been able to stand the grocer off but one year, and have split wood off from pine stumps around our office for three months, and unless a kind Providence suits us soon, we will be compelled to melt up some of our pig into bullets, and go hunting for the family are out of meat."

You can't touch a farmer around Potatoville, otherwise Greenville, with a telephone pole now that potatoes are bringing 80 and 90 cents, and are on a par with wheat. Farmers who have heavy mortgages on their farms are raising them, and they are happy as kings. All together Montcalm is in luck this year. The new starch factory is what caused the grangers to plant their fields to tubers and strike it rich.

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Rare Views of California! AGENTS-WANTED to sell California Views. Enclose stamp to following address and receive circular. Sample views will be sent upon receipt of twenty-five cents. Address California Art Gallery, E. Cherry, Prop., Santa Rosa, Cal.

List of Letters Remaining in the Post Office at Grayling, for the week ending Dec. 29, '97: Anderson, H. Peterson, Victor; Anderson, J. E. Richardson, Frank; Blake, Edward; Robinson, H. D.; Carlson, Henry; Royengard, Miss A.; Gronds, Joseph; Slinger, E.; Kelley, Frank; Struble, Edward; Mallat, Fred; Winslow, N. Ira. Persons calling for any of the above letters, will please say advertised.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church, will meet every Thursday afternoon at Hempstead's hall, for work. All persons interested are cordially invited.

Mrs. H. MASTERS, Pres. For Sale. I WILL SELL any of my houses or lots on favorable terms. For particular information, call on JOSEPH CHARRON, May 3, t. f.

Strayed, Strayed!! STRAYED from the premises of the subscriber, four head of young cattle; one black heifer, with white face, possibly with calf; the others Spring calves, color black, except the feet of one are white. Any information as to where they may be found will be paid for, by PETER AEBLI, Blaine Township.

Gunsmith Shop. I WILL open up the old blacksmith shop near the bridge, where I will make and repair guns and do other fine work in my line. Repairing of machinery a specialty. Terms reasonable. Give me a call. H. B. WILLIAMS, Aug. 18th, '87.

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A fine line of Canned Goods, pure Spices and Extracts. Lowest prices on Teas and Coffees. The best 35 and 50 cents Tea in Grayling. Samples free to prove it. Mingle with the mighty throng, and say as well as you may: Verily, move, move and win.

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She heard one day, incidentally, that a baby had been found on a stone at the cross-roads, and that it had been taken to the Town Hall, and that all the gentry about were going to look at it because it was such a sweet little child. So, following the example of her neighbors, she went too. Looking up into the sweet, sympathetic face of the famed authoress, the little baby smiled and put out its wee hands.

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As soon as she grew old enough it became her daily duty to cut the flowers and arrange them to make beautiful this great rock that had been dug up from the cross-roads and brought there. To her it represented the place where the hands of the angels had rested when they laid her down. Curiously, enough, the child became very proud of the way in which she had reached the dear mother who cared for her so lovingly and as tenderly as if she were really of her own flesh and blood. Her birthday was the day on which she was found, and when the tenth came around, and a child's party was given her, she was heard asking one little girl:

"How old are you?"

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